



Solid Rock Christian School a Ministry of Solid Rock Worship Center, Inc.  
Student Handbook - Academic School Year 2015-2016  
K-12<sup>th</sup> Grade

**Notice:**

**Henceforth Solid Rock Christian School, a Ministry of Solid Rock Worship Center, Inc. shall be known as “SRCS.”**

**Religious Statement of Beliefs**

**The Nicene Creed**

**“We believe in one God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible.**

**And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of the Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, Very God of Very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father by whom all things were made; who for us men, and for our salvation, came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the Virgin Mary, and was made man, and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried, and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of the Father. And he shall come again with glory to judge both the quick and the dead, whose kingdom shall have no end.**

**And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and Giver of Life, who proceedeth from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And we believe one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins. And we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.”**

**Additionally, we believe the Holy Bible to be the inerrant, inspired Word of God, whose Holy teachings guide and govern one to a Holy life with salvation unto Jesus Christ.**

**Formal Vision Statement**

**“Discipleship through excellence in Christian education”**

Biblical Discipleship, Excellences, Biblical Christianity and a Biblical Education are all characteristics of daily pursuit.

**Statement of Non-Discrimination**

In the spirit of Christian unity and the love that Jesus Christ shows for all mankind, SRCS does not discriminate on the basis of race, sex, religion, national origin, or physical disability.

**Admissions**

As a Christian school, SRCS expects students to live up to the moral standards laid out in the Bible as to proper behavior, attitude, and overall character both on and off campus. By enrolling your child in SRCS, you acknowledge your agreement with or acceptance of these policies. Students violating this policy are subject to disciplinary action up to and including suspension and expulsion.

Acceptance or rejection of applications for enrollment will be determined upon completion of the following admissions process:

- Meet with school administrator and submit completed application forms
- Parent admission interview with principal/assistant principal
- Student admission interview with principal/assistant principal
- Student testing (if requested)
- Optional Testing results and admission decision given

SRCS does reserves the right to accept students that have been expelled from other schools or convicted of a felony. Students convicted of misdemeanors will be reviewed on a case by case basis as well.

### **Re-enrollment Policy**

Enrollment in SRCS does not guarantee that a student will be accepted for re-enrollment. Some students, because of poor behavior, attendance or academics, may be denied re-enrollment. Students will be given ample opportunities to modify their behavior and/or improve their grades or attendance, however, those who fail to make the necessary adjustments will be denied re-enrollment.

### **Promotion Policy**

Students at SRCS are promoted to the next grade on the basis of successful completion on passing individual courses of the required course material relative their specific grade level. Definitively, a passing grade in a respective course must equate to an overall year average or final grade of 60% or better.

For high school requirements please inquire with SRCS staff. Generally speaking, the requirements includes (24) credits with noted specifics in math, english, science, P.E., history, social studies, fine art, electives, etc. It is the parent/student responsibility to verify military, college(s), and or university entrance requirements if said student should be interested in such prior to and during enrollment at Solid Rock Christian School. Although numerous students after having attended Solid Rock Christian School went on to have successful academics at college(s), the military or university, SRCS makes no guarantees expressed or implied concerning the university/college admission process / acceptance or job placement.

### **Curriculum**

By enrolling at Solid Rock Christian School a ministry of Solid Rock Worship Center, Inc., you agree to your child/student being taught from a Christian based curriculum based on Biblical values. The two primary curriculums used at SRCS are: ABKEA and Accelerated Christian Education. Unless stated otherwise, tuition (+) the instructional fee includes access to (12) paces per subject in their grade level and within that academic year. Additionally, ABEKA students are provided (1) year of curriculum which must be used within the academic year. If tuition or the instructional is not paid curriculum may be withheld or student asked to leave.

### **FCAT / E.O.C. / SAT10 Testing**

Presently, SRCS does not administer FCAT testing or E.O.C. Exams for High School/Middle School. SRCS administers the SAT10 National Exam (usually in the spring time) on a yearly basis – Grades 3<sup>rd</sup> thru 10<sup>th</sup>. It is the Parent's responsibility to inquire of the Public School System if they require such.

### **Enrollment Requirements**

Kindergarten students should be five years old on or before September 1<sup>st</sup>.

All students must submit the following:

- Application for Enrollment - both sides filled out and signed
- Any applicable fees
- Medical checkup record on Florida form (Kindergarten only)
- Health immunization record form (Kindergarten only)
- Photocopy of the child's birth certificate
- Emergency medical release form - filled out, signed and **NOTARIZED**
- Rules of Conduct on Campus - Signed by parent/guardian and student

### **Code of Conduct on Campus**

- Treat teachers, staff, classmates and their property with respect at all times. Practice the "Golden Rule" - "Do unto others as you would have done unto you." Threatening/bullying is not tolerated. Do not touch anyone.
- Do not damage school or personal property including your office/desk space.
- Never leave campus, for any reason, without first obtaining permission from the school office.
- Obey all individual class rules. Cheating is never an option.
- Maintain an attitude of reverence during morning devotions, prayer, bible class and chapel.
- Do not run anywhere on campus with the exception of recess and P.E. class.
- Maintain an attitude of honesty and integrity at all times.
- Guard the purity of the opposite sex in all areas of speech and conduct at all times.
- Profanity is not tolerated
- Maintain regular punctual attendance

### **Standards of Dress**

Students should arrive in their uniform (uniform requirements are listed on page 19). Uniforms should be clean, tidy and fit properly. Skirts must be to the **BOTTOM OF THE KNEE** and pants and shirts must **FIT MODESTLY** - not too tight, not too baggy. Additionally, shirts are to be tucked in.

Any student that repeatedly violates the dress code will be subject to possible disciplinary action up to and including: being sent home to change, suspension and expulsion.

### **School Closings**

SRCS does not follow the calendar of the local public school system. However, in the event of a major storm or other emergency, we will follow what Lake County Schools determine to be the days that school will be closed.

### **School Supplies**

*Please make sure your child maintains an ample supply of all the items on their class supply list.* You may view and print the supply list for your child's class on our website at [www.solidrockchristianschool.com](http://www.solidrockchristianschool.com)

When purchasing school supplies, notebooks, etc., please purchase items that are appropriate for a Christian environment. Backpacks are limited to clear or mesh only.

### **Cell Phones, Electronic Devices and Personal Property**

Cell phones, although not encouraged, are permitted but must be:

- Turned off at all times while on campus.
- Turned in to your teacher upon entering the classroom. Phones will be returned at dismissal but are to remain off until you leave campus.
- Used only with prior permission from your teacher or an administrator.

All other electronic devices, CDs, DVDs, **Ipods, Ipads, Computers** and toys are **not permitted** on campus without prior permission from your teacher or an administrator. These items are a distraction in the classroom and are therefore only allowed for special occasions.

Any item not on the supply list or items deemed a distraction or inappropriate will be taken from the student and returned to the parents at pick-up. If the student continues to bring those items to school, they will be subject to disciplinary action up to and including suspension and expulsion.

### **Searches for Suspicion of Illegal or Dangerous Materials**

In the event of suspicious behavior or information given to the faculty & staff of SRCS that would give us reasonable suspicion, SRCS reserves the right to conduct a search of any student and any and all personal property in their possession at any time while they are on campus or while attending any off campus SRCS function. This includes the search of a student's person, lunch bag, purse, back pack, clothing, computer bag, office space, automobile, etc.

All searches will be conducted for the sole purpose of insuring the health and safety of the student body, faculty and administration of SRCS, not for the purpose of embarrassing students, and will be conducted accordingly in the presence of (2) staff members.

**SUCH SEARCHES MAY BE CONDUCTED WITHOUT NOTICE OR PERMISSION OF THE STUDENT OR PARENTS. ENROLLMENT OF YOUR CHILD IN SRCS CONSTITUTES PARENTAL CONSENT TO SUCH SEARCHES.**

**DRUGS – ALCOHOL – TOBACCO – MATCHES OR LIGHTERS, FIREARMS, WEAPONS OR EXPLOSIVES OF ANY KIND – ARE NOT ALLOWED ON SCHOOL PROPERTY AT**

**ANY TIME, FOR ANY REASON. Any student found in possession of these items is subject to immediate expulsion.**

If a student commits an illegal act, or is found in the possession of illegal materials or weapons while on campus, both the parents and the Lake County Sheriff's Office will be contacted. The student will then be remanded into the custody of the Sheriff's Office for prosecution **AT THE DISCRETION OF THE SHERIFF'S AND STATE ATTORNEY'S OFFICES.**

### **Attendance & Tardiness**

Regular attendance and punctuality are essential to student success. Students should arrive at school between 7:30 and 7:45 A.M. Students arriving after 8:00 A.M. will be marked tardy. **STUDENTS ARRIVING BEFORE 7:30 A.M. MAY BE CHARGED A FEE. EXCESSIVE TARDINESS EXCUSED OR NOT, WILL AFFECT YOUR CHILD'S ACADEMIC GRADES.**

If your child has a fever, chronic cough, green runny nose, vomiting or diarrhea, please keep them home until they have been symptom free or on anti-biotics for 24 hours.

In order for an absence to be excused, students must give their teacher a written excuse from their parent or guardian. Some acceptable reasons for an excused absence are:

- Illness (If the student is chronically ill, a doctor's note may be required)
- Family emergency
- Doctors appointments (Please try to schedule appointments outside school hours)

All other absences will be evaluated on a case by case basis.

After three parental excuses for absence, a doctor's note may be required for further absences to be excused.

Students with more than five unexcused absences per quarter may be subject to disciplinary action up to and including suspension and expulsion. **Excessive absences excused or not, will affect your child's academic grades.**

Repeated absence (excused or not) and tardiness may result in disciplinary action up to and including suspension/expulsion or affect their respective grades. In addition, excessive absence and tardiness may also result in a truancy report being sent to the Department of Children and Families.

### **Dismissal**

Dismissal begins at 2:30 P.M. Students should be picked up no later than 30 minutes after dismissal.

Students 10 and under, not picked up within 30 minutes of dismissal will be sent to after school and **PARENTS WILL BE CHARGED NORMAL DROP IN RATES.** Students 11 and older will remain in the lobby with indirect supervision until picked up.

If you need to drop your child off before 7:30 A.M. or pick them up more than 30 minutes after dismissal begins, please contact us to make the necessary arrangements.

If you need to remove your child from school before dismissal, please contact the school office as far in advance as possible. Arrangements for early dismissal must be made through the school office.

### **Extended Day Program and Early Drop Off/Late Pick Up Fees**

Extended day care begins at 7:00 A.M. and ends at 6:00 P.M.

Early drop off – Prior to 7:30am (please inquire for fee structure.)

Late Pick up-If you are not here at the time stated on the permission slip, you will be charged **\$5 PER CHILD** for **EVERY TEN MINUTES OR PORTION THEREOF** you are late.

### **Allowing Someone to Pick Up Your Child**

When you enroll your child at SRCS, you will be asked to provide us with a list of people you authorize to pick up your child from school **WITHOUT** prior notice from you. In the event someone different will be picking up your child, please send a note with your child detailing who will be picking up your child. However, if an emergency arises during the day, a phone call to the school will suffice. Photo ID will then be required upon their arrival before your child is released.

### **Parent/Teacher Conferences**

Parent/teacher conferences help keep the lines of communication open between the school and parents. Conferences are scheduled at the beginning of the school year with additional conferences scheduled during the school year as necessary. If you have questions or concerns, you may schedule a conference at any time.

### **Contacting Your Child or Their Teacher**

If you need to get a message to your child or their teacher during the school day, please call (352) 735-5777 at extension 17. If unavailable, please leave a detailed message. Messages are checked throughout the day and we will be delivered to promptly. Additionally, you may reach us on the school cell phone line at (352) – 460 – 5889.

### **Visitors**

Parents are welcome to visit the school at anytime. Extended family members are encouraged to come and share their student's holiday parties, award ceremonies, graduations, pizza fundraisers, etc. For security purposes, we ask that all visitors check in with the School Administrator or Principal prior to going to their child's classroom. Additionally, visitors must stay in the area specified for the event and not attempt to enter other areas of the school or ministry.

### **Deliveries During School**

Deliveries to students (lunches, P.E. clothes, homework, etc.) should be made through the school office to minimize the disruption in the classroom.

### **Homework**

Homework consists of unfinished lessons, studying for quizzes and tests, and occasional experiments and projects. (as directed by student's teacher).

### **Lunches**

Please pack a healthy lunch for your child. **No candy or soft drinks, energy drinks or coffee, please.** Students **will not** have access to a refrigerator or microwave so please use a thermos or ice pack when necessary.

### **Physical Education Class**

All students are required to take Physical Education up through Middle School. All High School students are required to earn one credit in Physical Education/Health in order to graduate from high school. Students who have not yet acquired the necessary P.E./Health. credit to graduate must dress out and participate in P.E. class. Students that refuse or repeatedly fail to dress out and/or participate in P.E. will be subject to disciplinary action up to and including suspension and expulsion or fail the class.

### **Fire Drills**

Monthly fire drills are held to familiarize students with exit routes in the event of a fire in the building. Playing around during fire drills is not tolerated and will be subject to disciplinary action.

### **Health Services and First Aid**

SRCS **does not** have a nurse or health-care professional on staff. Our policy regarding illness and injury is as follows:

- **Minor injury that does not require medical attention** – First aid will be administered by a member of the faculty or staff.
- **Illness that does not require medical attention** – We will notify you immediately that you need to pick up your child.
- **Serious illness or injury that does not require emergency medical attention** – We will notify you immediately so that you can pick up your child and transport them to a medical facility.
- **Serious illness or injury that does require emergency medical attention** - We will call 911 and notify you immediately.

When you enroll your child at SRCS, we will ask you to provide us with a list of people you authorize to make medical decisions for you child if we are unable to reach you in case of emergency.

If a situation occurs that requires you to pick up your child for medical attention, we will make every effort to contact you immediately. In the event that we are unable to reach you or the individuals you have authorized to make medical decisions for your child, we will call 911 and allow the paramedics to make all medical decisions for your child including whether or not to transport them to the hospital.

**All medical bills, including ambulance fees, are the sole responsibility of the parents or legal guardians.**

### **Medications**

Prior to **SRCS** dispensing any medication, the following conditions must be satisfied. **NO EXCEPTIONS.**



**ORAL or TOPICAL OVER THE COUNTER MEDICATIONS (including Tylenol) to be dispensed:**

1. PRESCRIPTION or LETTER OF AUTHORIZATION FROM THE CHILD'S DOCTOR stating medication, dosage and administration details.
2. Medication must be provided by the parent or legal guardian.
3. Be contained in the original container.
4. Accompanied by a medication form that has been signed by the parent, that lists in detail the correct name of the medication, the exact dosage to be dispensed, and the dates and time the medication is to be dispensed.

**ORAL OR TOPICAL PRESCRIPTION MEDICATIONS to be dispensed:**

1. Provided by the parent or legal guardian.
2. Be contained in the original container from the pharmacy and list the following on the label:
  - a. The doctor's name and contact information
  - b. The pharmacy name and contact information
  - c. The child's name
  - d. The name of the medication
  - e. Complete instructions for dispensing the medication
  - f. Accompanied by a medication form that has been signed by the parent, that lists in detail the correct name of the medication, the exact dosage to be dispensed, and the dates and time the medication is to be dispensed.
  - g. SRCS does not administer medications requiring injection.

**Student Insurance**

Medical insurance and all expenses resulting from any illness or injury while your child is at SRCS are the parent's responsibility. Please make sure that your medical insurance information is included on the application for enrollment and kept up to date in case of emergency.

**Student Vehicles**

Students with a driver's license are permitted to drive to and from school as long as the office has prior knowledge and a signed permission form from their parents. Student parking is in the rear of the building, under the trees.

Under no circumstances will students be allowed to give other students a ride from school without prior written permission from both of the parents and administration. All written permission concerning driving should be filed in advance with the school office. SRCS makes no guarantee regarding the safety of the vehicle while parked at Solid Rock Christian School. Student/parents choose to park their car at SRCS at their own risk.

### **Transportation**

Transportation to and from school is the responsibility of the parents or guardians. Transportation for field trips will be arranged by the school and any transportation costs will be included in the cost of the trip.

### **Discipline**

At SRCS, students are not disciplined in any way that is severe, humiliating or frightening. Corporal punishment of any kind as well as deprivation of food, drinks and toileting are strictly prohibited. Instead, we employ a system of detentions, sentence writing, principal referrals and suspension to alert parents to problems.

Students are expected to follow the Rules Of Conduct On Campus, as well as the rules of their individual teachers in their classrooms. Christian character in action, word, and attitude should be apparent at all times.

The staff of SRCS strive to maintain a standard of behavior through kindness, love, and a genuine regard for the student. However, when disciplinary action becomes necessary, it is administered with firmness, fairness, consistency and love.

Staff members may find themselves in a situation where it is necessary to restrain a student for their own or another's safety (such as fighting). If so, every effort will be made to restrain the student in a way that will not hurt or injure them.

### **Courtesy**

Students at SRCS are to act in a way that reflects the love and character of Christ in action, word and attitude. Honor should be given to all those in authority. Disrespect may result in disciplinary action up to and including suspension or expulsion.

### **Language**

As Christians, we should set the example in all things and therefore should refrain from cursing (especially using the Lord's name in vain) and vulgar or slang expressions which are offensive. In addition to our verbal language, body language is an important part of our communications. Students are expected to carry themselves in a manner befitting a Christian at all times displaying respect for themselves, and others.

### **Cheating**

Cheating, of any kind, may result in disciplinary action up to and including suspension, or expulsion, redoing the work or receiving a zero for work done.

### **Stealing**

Students caught stealing will be subject to disciplinary action up to and including suspension and expulsion or notification of the Lake County Sheriff's Office

### **Classroom Behavior**

Students need to respect the right of others to learn in peace. Excessive talking, throwing things, banging, or any other disruptive behavior will be dealt with in an age appropriate manner at the teacher's discretion. This may be time outs (for younger children), loss of privileges, and detention (for older students). Discipline slips or principal intervention may occur if students do not change their behavior, or may occur immediately depending on the severity of the behavior up to and including suspension or expulsion.

### **Vandalism**

Vandalism of any kind will result in disciplinary action up to and including suspension and expulsion. This includes writing on the walls, desks, other people's personal property, or defacing school or personal property in any way. Parents will be responsible to pay for repair or replacement of items that have been damaged. **A MINIMUM CHARGE OF \$25** will be assessed for any damage caused by students.

### **Disciplinary Probation**

When normal methods of correction are ineffective and the student continues to be a problem, that student will be placed on probation. The student will have one final chance to modify their behavior before being expelled from SRCS. We have no desire to expel anyone, but it is not fair to ask other students and teachers to continually deal with an unruly student.

### **Arrest/Incarceration**

Any student arrested and/or incarcerated while enrolled at SRCS will be required to provide the school with one of the following:

- A copy of the Police Arrest Report
- A letter from the State Prosecutor's Office

**Either the report or letter must contain information detailing any and all charges being brought against the student.**

After the school has received all pertinent information, the School Board will convene to evaluate the case and decide if the student will be allowed to return to school prior to trial. **Student will not be allowed to attend school until after the School Board makes its final determination.**

Whether or not the student is allowed to return to school pre-trial, at the conclusion of all legal proceedings, the School Board will meet and render a final decision on the student's enrollment in SRCS based on all the facts of the case. **Acquittal alone does not guarantee that a student will be allowed to remain enrolled or reenroll in SRCS.**

### **Academic Probation**

Academic Probation may occur for reasons including but not limited to: cheating, excessive absences, excessive tardiness, refusal to work and poor grades.

### **Suspension and Expulsion from School**

A student may be subject to immediate suspension for reasons including but not limited to the following:

- Blatant disrespect for students/teachers
- Bullying
- Leaving school grounds without permission
- Physical fighting
- Cigarette smoking or possession of cigarettes, lighters or matches
- Destruction of school property (minor)
- Open defiance of authority
- Cheating
- Threatening a teacher or member of SRCS staff (verbal, written, or posted on a social media site)
- Stealing
- Being arrested on or off campus
- Student refusing to work.

A student may be subject to immediate expulsion for reasons including but not limited to the following:

- Being in possession of a weapon of any kind on school property
- Bomb threats
- Hitting a teacher or member of authority
- Lewd and/or lascivious behavior
- Physical contact/immorality of any kind
- Sexual harassment
- Possession, use or sale of alcohol or illegal drugs
- Destruction of school property or attempted destruction of school property (major)
- Repeated suspensions
- Severe or Repeated Cheating. Student refusing to work repeatedly.
- Being arrested on or off campus
- Being convicted of a crime
- Threatening / Bullying

**NOTE:** As the lists above are limited and could not possibly contain each and every scenario possible, the administration reserves the right to order a suspension or expulsion for **ANY** action **WE** deem serious enough to warrant such action. By enrolling at SRCS you agree to such.

If a student commits an illegal act, or is found in the possession of illegal materials or weapons while on campus, both the parents and the Lake County Sheriff's Office will be contacted. The student will then be remanded into the custody of the Sheriff's Office for prosecution **AT THE DISCRETION OF THE SHERIFF'S AND STATE ATTORNEY'S OFFICES.**

SRCS does NOT give student recommendations.

**TUITION IS DUE ON THE FIRST OF THE MONTH.** Students with delinquent accounts on the 10<sup>th</sup> will be placed on the "Do Not Issue List" and no further PACEs/Units will be issued to that

student until full payment is received. In addition, if payment has not been received by the 20<sup>th</sup>, the student may be withheld from class until the account is brought current. Non-payment of tuition fee or instructional fee may result in curriculum being withheld or student being asked to leave.

Tuition and scholarships applied towards curriculum as per individual agreement.

**Invoices for additional curriculum are due at the time of order.** Students with an open balance at the end of the school year will have their final report card withheld until full payment is received.

### **Withdrawal Policy**

SRCS recognizes that there may be occasion for students to withdraw during the school year. We ask that a minimum of ten business days notice be given to the school. This does not apply to students that have been expelled from school. Expulsion is immediate upon notice to parents. SRCS does not give student recommendations.

In the event that a student withdraws from school before the end of the year, there will be a tuition reimbursement for unused tuition starting with **THE NEXT CALENDAR MONTH AFTER WITHDRAWAL**. All other fees are nonrefundable.

### **Additional Costs**

The following is a list of expenses to expect during the school year.

#### **School Supplies (Not Optional)**

Each student will receive a list of supplies needed to begin the year which the parent will need to be replenished periodically throughout the year as needed.

#### **Field Trips**

Field trips are optional and require additional fees. Parents are welcome as chaperones on all field trips as long as space is available.

There may be additional field trips for honor roll students and the possibility of optional overnight trips for older students. If your child qualifies for honor roll or overnight trips, you will be notified as soon as possible.

#### **School Pictures**

School pictures are taken in the fall of each year. Purchase is optional.

#### **Holiday Parties**

Each year, our classes have parties to celebrate the holidays – Thanksgiving, Christmas, etc. These parties are not elaborate, but each student may be asked to bring in a food item to share.

## **Uniforms**

### **Girls**

- \* Harris Plaid Shift or Skirt or Navy Blue, Khaki, or Black Skirt (must come to the **BOTTOM** of the knee) or Long Navy Blue, Khaki or Black **UNIFORM PANTS**.
- \*\* White Oxford Shirt or Solid Colored Polo Shirt
- SRCS T-Shirt.
- Socks must match pants, skirt or shift.
- Shoes must not be open or have heels; sneakers must not have skulls or violent characters.
- Hair must be a natural color, feminine style and kept off the face.
- Jewelry & Makeup – Modest. No excessive jewelry.
- No body piercing of any kind.
- No hats.
- No visible tattoos.
- No pull over sweatshirts.
- No hoods or sunglasses worn indoors.
- Shirts are to be tucked in.

### **Boys**

- Long Navy Blue, Khaki or Black **UNIFORM PANTS**.
- White Oxford Shirt or Solid Colored Polo Shirt
- SRCS T-Shirt.
- Socks must match pants.
- No body piercing of any kind.
- No hats.
- No visible tattoos.
- No pull over sweatshirts.
- No hoods or sunglasses worn indoors.
- Shirts are to be tucked in.
- Hair must be a natural color and off the collar.

### **P. E. Uniforms**

Students may wear any **SOLID DARK** colored T-Shirt or sweat shirt with matching athletic shorts or sweat pants, socks and sneakers. P.E. uniforms should not have any writing or pictures on them.

### **Patriotism**

Patriotism emphasizes the greatness of America's heritage and the sacrifices of her heroes. We unashamedly teach the biblical doctrines of self-discipline and sacrifice, respect for those in authority, obedience to law, and love for God, flag, and country.

Every day during morning devotions, students are required to recite the following pledges:

**Pledge to the Bible**

I pledge allegiance to the Bible, God's Holy Word.  
I will make it a lamp unto my feet, a light unto my path,  
and I will hide its words in my heart that I might not sin against God.

**Pledge to the Christian Flag**

I pledge allegiance to the Christian Flag  
and to the Saviour for whose kingdom it stands:  
One Saviour, crucified, risen and coming again,  
with life and liberty to all who believe.

**Pledge to the American Flag**

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America  
and to the Republic for which it stands,  
one nation under God,  
indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

**Classroom Rules General**

- Do not leave your seat for any reason without permission
- Be respectful to the teacher: screaming at teacher or arguing with teacher will not be tolerated.
- Do not turn sideways, around or tip back in your chair
- Talking with your classmates during work time is not permitted
- Activities not related to school work are not allowed in the classroom unless privileges have been earned
- Gum, candy and soda are not allowed during school hours except for special events with prior permission
- Follow classroom instruction(s).
- No profanity
- No cheating

**Student Offices/Desks**

- Teachers set the seating assignment and only the teachers can change it
- You are responsible for keeping your office/desk space neat, clean and free of damage.  
Damaging the desk will result in additional fees billed to the parents immediately.
- Anything you want to place in/on your office/desk space must first be approved by your teacher
- Do not sit on any office/desk or lean on the dividers
- Electrical outlets are for approved school equipment only
- Red pens are not allowed in student office/desk space

## Grading

100 – 90% = A  
89 – 80% = B  
79 – 70% = C  
69 – 60% = D

Below 60% equates failure. Students in danger of failing are strongly encouraged to enter the tutoring program – please see your respective teacher for details. **Excessive absences excused or not, will affect your child’s academic grades.**

## Tutoring

For students requiring additional help in their academics - Tutoring may be available Monday thru Thursday beginning at 3:00 p.m. and ending at 4:00. Parents are to pick up their child promptly at 4:00 p.m. Please check with your teacher for details.

## Solid Rock Christian School Student Handbook

Solid Rock Christian School a Ministry of Solid Rock Worship Center, Inc. reserves the right, at its sole discretion, to change, modify, add or remove portions of the SRCS Student at any time. It is your responsibility to check the SRCS Student Handbook periodically for changes. The student handbook is available online at: [www.solidrockfla.org](http://www.solidrockfla.org)

**By enrolling you agree to all the above mentioned standards and grading policies set forth by Solid Rock Christian School a Ministry of Solid Rock Worship Center, Inc., Student Handbook Academic Year 2015 – 2016.**

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Legal Guardian/Parent’s Printed Name

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Date

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Legal Guardian/Parent’s Signature

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Principal’s Signature/Assistant Principal Signature



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